

ROPEX 2003 Palmares

June 20-22, Webster Community Field House, Webster, NY

Grand - Winner represents ROPEX at Stampshow 2003 in Columbus, OH (*Wright Flyer Replica*)
151-158 **R. Timothy Bartsche** - Orange Free State Republican Postage Issues 1868-1900

Reserve Grand - Second Best in Show (*Train Set and ATA "World Railways Philatelic" Handbook*)
191-200 **Galen D. Harrison** - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865

General Class

* denotes Rochester Philatelic Association member

Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals, Certificate

(CH=Court of Honor)

- CH** 91-100 **Arnold H. Selengut** - 150 Years of US Precancels
G 125-130 **John W. Allen** - Momotombos: The First Airmail Definitives of Nicaragua
G 151-158 **R. Timothy Bartsche** - Orange Free State Republican Postage Issues 1868-1900
G 26-35 **William H. Bauer*** - Otsego County, NY
G 159-166 **George Cosentini** - V-Mail
G 113-121 **Richard Daffner** - The Foreign Mail Issue of Mexico 1879-1883
G 61-65 **Jack Andre Denys** - Bayeux Tapestry- Story, Mystery, History
G 138-144 **Peter G. Gleason*** - The 1920-1923 Air Post Issues of Estonia
G 101-110 **George T. Guzzio** - Germany: The Wagner Semi-Postal Issue of 1933- Specialized
G 191-200 **Galen D. Harrison** - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865
G 211-220 **Alfred F. Kugel** - The Expansion of Greece 1897-1922
G 77-83 **Robert E. Lana** - Italian Classics: Kingdom of Sardinia, 1851-1863
G 84-90 **Paul A. Larsen** - Federal Issues of the Leeward Islands 1890-1911
G 145-149 **Kurt W. Laubinger** - The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960
G 183-190 **Randall Martin** - Newfoundland Surface Mail
G 131-137 **Walter J. Orton III*** - Proprietary "Battleship" Revenue Stamps of 1898 And Their Precancel Varieties
G 66-70 **Mary Ann A. Owens** - Lady Beetle, Lady Bird, Lady Bug
G 243-245 **Mary Ann A. Owens** - Those Other Elephants
G 174-182 **Warren S. Wilkinson** - British Columbia and Vancouver Island Postal History: 1858-1871
G 246-250 **William Woytowich** - The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and Encased Postage
V 41-45 **Louis T. Call** - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents, Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
V 221-230 **William H. Hatton** - The Sincerest Flattery- Non-Philatelic Imitations of Stamps, Covers, and Associated Items
V 6-10 **Regis Hoffman** - Letters to the Stars
V 236-239 **Alice Johnson*** - A Multitude of Angels
V 36-40 **Martin Margulis** - 19th Century Ship Mail Through New York City
V 201-207 **Robert Meegan** - United States Domestic Letter Rates, 1825 to 1900
V 51-58 **Howard H. Schloss** - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940
S 122-124 **Richard Cropp** - Mt. Momotombo, Nicaragua 1900-1905
S 111-112 **Frank Garancovsky** - Czechoslovakia 1st Issues: Complete Plating 100h Hradcany, Plate II
S 231-235 **Martin Margulis** - The Airship in the Americas
S 21-25 **John Price, MD** - Selections of Long Island Postal History
S 208-210 **Don Schurr** - Spanish Postal History: A Selection from 1850-1880
S 11-20 **Raymond M. Stone*** - Planes, Trains and Automobiles- Transportation Coil FDCs
SB 71-74 **Alan Anderson** - Swords on Stamps
SB 75-76 **Alice Johnson*** - Meterly Speaking - Let's Eat
SB 4-5 **Igor Kuchuk** - Airship LZ-127 "Graf Zeppelin" Mail 1928-1937
SB 241-242 **Walter J. Orton III*** - Pioneer Telegraph Companies of the Northeast Showing Covers and/or Telegraphs
SB 2-3 **Marge Schleining*** - Getting Around: Planes, Trains, Cars and Motorcycles

Youth Class

Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals

S 168-170 **Theresa Meegan** - Foxes (age 18)

Single Frame Class (as judged by American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors standards)
Platinum, Gold, Vermeil, Silver, Silver Bronze, Bronze medals, Certificate (NC=non-competitive)

- P** 240 **John W. Allen** - The 3 Cent Liberty Postal Card of 1958
P 50 **Doug and Nancy Z. Clark*** - Maine Way Mail
G 171 **Randall Martin** - New Brunswick Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1851-1868
G 172 **Randall Martin** - Nova Scotia Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1851-1868
G 173 **Randall Martin** - Prince Edward Island Pre-Confederation Stamped Mail 1861-1873
V 59 **Howard Lee** - Usages of the 8 Cent Grant - U.S. 4th Bureau Issue
V 60 **Howard Lee** - Usages of the 11 Cent Hayes - U.S. 4th Bureau Issue
V 46 **Alan Parsons*** - 19th Century Railroad Postal Markings Related to Steuben, Schuyler, Chemung and Tioga Counties, NY
S 48 **William J. Hart** - New York State RFD Hand Cancels
C 49 **Raymond M. Stone*** - A Transportation Coil FDC Tale
NC 167 **Mary Ann A. Owens** - The Badger
NC 47 **Ann Triggles*** - Clarence, NY
NC 150 **Ann Triggles*** - The Pharmacy Stamp of 1972

Rochester Philatelic Association

- Larry R. Moriarty Sr. Memorial Award - Excellence in an Exhibit Not Winning the Grand or Reserve Grand Relating to Transportation (*Corvette Model Cars and Stand*)
Louis T. Call - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents, Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
- Andy Hale Award - Excellence in a General Exhibit by an RPA Member (*perpetual plaque*)
William H. Bauer* - Otsego County, NY
- Virginia Gubler Award - Best Thematic Exhibit by an RPA Member (*perpetual pewter tray*)
Alice Johnson* - A Multitude of Angels
- Best Overall Single Frame Exhibit Earning a Gold or Platinum (*pewter mail car replica*)
Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* - Maine Way Mail
- LRM Popularity Award - Most Popular as Voted by ROPEX Attendees (*plaque*)
Kurt W. Laubinger - The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960

American Philatelic Society

- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence - Pre-1900 Material
Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence - 1900-1940 Material
John W. Allen - Momotombos: The First Airmail Definitives of Nicaragua
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence - 1940-1980 Material
George Cosentini - V-Mail
- Medal and Ribbon of Excellence - Post-1980 Material
Not awarded
- Medal and Ribbon for Research Excellence
William Woytowich - The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and Encased Postage

American Association of Philatelic Exhibitors

- Award of Honor- Excellence in Presentation Not Winning a Gold Medal (*cloisonné pin*)
Louis T. Call - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents, Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
- Award of Honor- Excellence in Presentation Not Winning a Gold Medal (*cloisonné pin*)
Howard H. Schloss - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940
- Creativity in Philatelic Exhibiting Award (*gold medal*)
Kurt W. Laubinger - The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960
- AAPE Youth Grand- winner enters AAPE's Youth "Champion of Champions" (*certificate and ribbon*)
Theresa Meegan - Foxes (age 18)

- Novice Award- Best Exhibit of a First Time Exhibitor (AAPE year membership and exhibiting book)
Alan Anderson - Swords on Stamps

American Airmail Society

- Best Airmail Exhibit (*medal*)
Peter G. Gleason* - The 1920-1923 Air Post Issues of Estonia

American First Day Cover Society

- Best Exhibit of First Day Covers (*plate and certificate*)
Howard H. Schloss - The New York World's Fair 1939-1940

American Philatelic Congress

- Excellence in Written Text in an Exhibit (*Congress Book*)
Kurt W. Laubinger - The Politically Inspired Cachets of Bruce R. McIntyre, 1936-1960

American Topical Association

- First Place Award Earning a National Bronze or Higher (*medal and ribbon*)
Jack Andre Denys - Bayeux Tapestry- Story, Mystery, History
- Second Place Award (medal and ribbon)
Mary Ann A. Owens - Lady Beetle, Lady Bird, Lady Bug
- Third Place Award (medal and ribbon)
Alice Johnson* - A Multitude of Angels
- One Frame Merit Award (ribbon)
Not awarded

British North America Philatelic Society

- Best BNA Exhibit (ribbon)
Warren S. Wilkinson - British Columbia and Vancouver Island Postal History: 1858-1871

Empire State Postal History Society Awards

- Best NY State Multi-Frame Postal History Exhibit Earning a Vermeil or Gold (*large Waterford clock*)
Louis T. Call - Examples of Early NY State Postmarks Used by Railroad Route Agents, Railroad Postal Clerks, and Station Agents, 1830's-1880's
- Best State Postal History Single Frame Exhibit Earning a Vermeil or Higher (*small Waterford clock*)
Doug and Nancy Z. Clark* - Maine Way Mail
- Certificate of Participation for State Postal History Exhibits
William H. Bauer* **Louis T. Call** **Doug and Nancy Z. Clark*** **William J. Hart**
Martin Margulis **Alan Parsons*** **John Price, MD** **Ann Triggler***

German Philatelic Society

- Gold (medal)
George T. Guzzio - Germany: The Wagner Semi-Postal Issue of 1933- Specialized
- Silver (medal)
Not awarded
- Bronze (medal)
Not awarded

Postal History Society

- Best Exhibit of Postal History Earning a National Vermeil or Gold (*medal*)
Galen D. Harrison - Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil War 1861-1865

United States Philatelic Classics Society

- Best U.S. Exhibit up to the First Bureau Issue of 1894 Earning a National Vermeil or Gold and Not Winning this Award in a 24 Month Period (*gold medal*)
William Woytowich - The Evolution of Postage Currency: Fractional Notes and Encased Postage

United States Stamp Society

- Statue of Freedom Award- Best U.S. Exhibit from 1847 Onwards (*medal*)
Walter J. Orton III* - Proprietary "Battleship" Revenue Stamps of 1898 And Their Precancel Varieties

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Grand Award

R. Timothy Bartsche

Orange Free State Republican
Postage Issues 1868-1900

Reserve Grand

Galen D. Harrison

Prisoners' Mail from the American Civil
War 1861-1865

Judging Panel

Guy Dillaway, Chairman (Weston, MA)
Lois M. Evans-de Violini (Oxnard, CA)
Al Guenzburger (Guilford, NY)
Peter K. Iber (Peoria, AZ)
Stephen L. Suffet (Sunnyside, NY)

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